

WOODROW WILSON REHABILITATION CENTER POLICIES AND PROCEDURES	
Title: Nondiscrimination for Vocational Rehabilitation and WWRC Services	
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OBJECTIVE

To assure that there shall be nondiscrimination in the acceptance and service delivery of DRS and Woodrow Wilson Rehabilitation Center services.

POLICY

Admission and Services at WWRC will comply with the prohibited factors in the Vocational Rehabilitation Program for determining eligibility [REVISED: 1/21/99]

1. No duration of residence requirement shall be imposed that excludes from services any U.S. citizen (or non-citizen who is legally eligible to work in the U.S.) who is present in Virginia (federal regulation 34 CFR § 361.42(b)).
2. No applicant or group of applicants shall be excluded or found ineligible solely on the basis of the type of disability (i.e. HIV positive) (federal regulation 24 CFR § 361.42(b)).
3. The eligibility requirements shall be applied without regard to the age, gender, race, color, creed, or national origin of the applicant (federal regulation 34 CFR § 361.42(b)).
4. The eligibility requirements shall be applied without regard to the particular service needs or anticipated cost of the services required by an applicant or the income level of an applicant or applicant's family (federal regulation 34 CFR § 361.42(b)). However, the individual is subject to the DRS consumer financial participation policy (See Chapter 14.3, Financial, Policy 1, FRS Policy Manual).
5. The eligibility requirements shall be applied without regard to sexual orientation of the applicant.

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